

**SIKKIM**



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**GOVERNMENT OF SIKKIM  
MOTOR VEHICLES DIVISION  
TRANSPORT DEPARTMENT  
YATAYAT BHAWAN, GANGTOK: 737101**

**No: GOS/MVD/2009-10/Adm/10/63**

**Dated: 15/09/2017.**

**NOTIFICATION**

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (2) of Section 112 of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 and in amendment to the Notification no: GOS/MVD/2009-10/Adm/10/48 dated: 09/12/2016 the State Government hereby fixes the maximum speed limit on different categories of roads in the State of Sikkim with immediate effect as follows:-

Sl. No.		Speed limit in kms per hour					Category E
		Category A	Category B	Category C	Category D		
1.	Passenger Vehicles						Any area identified with specified speed limits restricted by District Police through Office Order
(a)	Light Motor Vehicles	60	50	50	15		
(b)	Buses	50	40	30	15		
2.	School Buses / Education Institution Buses	40	30	30	15		
3.	Two Wheelers/ Light Motor Vehicles (Pvt.)	50	40	30	15		
4.	Goods Vehicles upto 3 axle						
(a)	Without Load	50	50	40	15		
(b)	With load and or on a steep incline/slope etc.	50	50	30	15		
5.	Goods Vehicles more than 3 axle						
(a)	Without Load	50	50	30	15		
(b)	With load and or on a steep incline/slope etc.	50	50	20	10		

<b>6.</b>	Dumpers, Tankers and those carrying hazardous goods					
(a)	Without Load	40	40	30	10	
(b)	With load and or on a steep incline/slope etc.	40	40	20	10	
<b>7.</b>	Tractors, All wheel Mounted Dozers, Excavators, Construction equipment vehicles, Escort Crane, Road Rollers, Tractor Compressors, Machinery and construction vehicles.	20	15	15	05	

Category A = National Highways,

Category B = State Highways,

Category C = Roads other than State Highways,

Category D = Road in bazaar / school / hospital / mandir-crossing / army cantonment / check-post etc. where traffic congestion and pedestrian movement is high and on those areas where the roads are damaged.

Category E = Any area identified with specified speed limits restricted by District Police through Office Order.

This amendment Notification will supersede all previous Notifications issued in this respect.

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